



# Boat Club News

## GREEN LIGHT FOR PBC CLUBHOUSE!

### **Commodore's Line - Steve Wise**

A great big thank you to all of the Club members and friends who showed up to the special City Council meeting in support of PBC building our clubhouse facilities. By a unanimous vote, Council overturned the prior BZA denial of our front building setback on the river from 50 feet to 3 feet. This is a HUGE victory for the Club!!! We still have a ways to go in the process to get final design approvals and permits, but this decision at last settles the question of "IF" and "WHAT" can we build on our parcels of land. Thanks also to our Building Committee led by PC Jerry Abair, Architects Kate MacPherson/Jaime Dye, Attorney Linde Webb and friend of the club, retired city zoning director Rick Thielen for their expert testimony and guidance.

Participation at our Club events this year has been very strong and shows the flexibility and determination of our folks to make do, get creative with our limited facilities this year and still HAVE FUN! Thanks to all of the volunteers to plan and coordinate all of our events this summer, led by VC Dave Dicke.

It looks like the hot weather of this summer is finally starting to cool off. Unfortunately that means the leaves are starting to drop and docks out is only about a month away. I can't believe that summer has slipped away so fast. It seems like we only got to take our own boat out a couple of times due to our hectic schedule this year, visiting other clubs and working on our house (again). Well, there is always next year.....

Enjoy the rest of the boating season and watch for the next steps of our building process; hopefully we will have some design renderings in time for the fall meeting to share with you. If all goes smoothly through the remaining steps of the approval process, we still anticipate putting out construction bids to begin this winter with construction beginning next spring!

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## **Past & Vice Commodore - Dave Dicke**

### ***PBC had its Annual Down River Cruise 8/14/16.***

We cruised to Maumee River Yacht Club for dinner. Had about 30 members attend. Thanks to Olivers, Himmelein, Shuffs, Comm. Wise for providing boat rides. Others came by car.

### ***RESULTS OF THE SUNFISH SAILBOAT GIVE AWAY***

I received 5 essays for the Sunfish giveaway. We have 4 boats and a trailer that were donated as gifts to deserving PBC youth by P/C Gene Harms (3 boats and trailer) and Dick Ritter, (1 boat). 1 essay will follow in coming newsletters. **Winners are:**

***Laura Sandberg (Harms Boat)***

***Joseph Conley (Ritter Boat)***

***Drew Newton (Harms Boat)***

***Josh Carter (Harms Boat)***

***Carl Conley (Harms Trailer)***

### **Essay by Drew Newton:**

Dear, Perrysburg Boat Club Members

For me sailing started at the Perrysburg boat club when I was about seven. Mr. Dicke was running the boat camp and it sounded like the perfect week to me, so my two older brothers and I decided to go. At the camp there was tubing, jet ski rides, tin tub lessons, first aid, kayaking and canoeing, and sailing. Of course as a kid I wanted to ride something fast but the jet skis and boats pulling tubes filled up right away so I decided to go on the sailboat. The instructors were Mr. Steely and Mr. Fritz, I went with Mr. Steely and he taught me the names of each boat and then we hoisted the JY15 into the water. Once we got under way he taught me what to do if we flip and not to get hit in the head with the boom. After that he tightened up the main sheet and we went way faster than I thought a sailboat could ever go. Since we were going so fast and I was having such a good time, we ended up going fast the 75 bridge. By the time we made it back up river it was pretty much time to go home. I was absolutely hooked and ended up sailing again the next day with Mr. Fritz who let me take the rudder which made my day. Later that summer Mr. Dicke told my parents that we could use the JY15's so we did as much as we could. Carl Conley and I became sailing buddies and got pretty confident sailing together. Since Mr. Ritter saw Carl sailing a lot he gave Carl a Rebel so we got that in the water and have continued to work on each spring to improve it and fix anything that broke during the last season. Carl and I have always talked about and wanted race each other but we only have on sailboat. Then I heard about the raffle the boat club was doing and I thought that it was the perfect opportunity since sunfish get pretty expensive. I think I would be able to sail a lot and teach younger kids how to sail so that I can pass on the torch and make their childhood on the river as memorable as mine.

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## **Secretary - Pat Slee**

The proposed changes in the "Perrysburg Boat Club Code of Regulations" (Constitution and By-Laws) has been submitted to and passed by both the By Laws Committee and the Board of Governors. The possible changes will be voted on at the next full membership meeting in November. A necessary (2/3) two-thirds majority vote for this change by those in attendance is necessary for its passage.

### **Suggested change to the Code of Regulations for the Perrysburg Boat Club Inc.**

#### **ARTICLE IX ELECTIONS**

##### **Now reads:**

Section 1. The Commodore, Vice Commodore, Rear Commodore, Secretary-Treasurer, Recording Secretary and three (3) Governors shall be elected at the annual meeting, and shall take office at the conclusion of the annual meeting, and shall hold office for one (1) year, or until their successors are elected and qualified.

##### **Proposed Change:**

Section 1. The Commodore, Vice Commodore, Rear Commodore, Secretary-Treasurer, Recording Secretary and **five (5)** Governors shall be elected at the annual meeting, and shall take office at the conclusion of the annual meeting, and shall hold office for one (1) year, or until their successors are elected and qualified.

#### **ARTICLE XI MEETINGS**

##### **Now reads:**

Section 3. Notice of meetings shall be mailed to every member at least five (5) days before the meeting.

##### **Proposed Change:**

Section 3. Notice of meetings shall be mailed **or emailed** to every member at least five (5) days before the meeting.

**David T. Dicke**

### **New Youngest PBC Member Announcement!!!**

**Eli and Meghan Roth have a new baby, Mattie Elizabeth Roth, born 9/10/16 at 9:42pm, 5lb 14oz.**

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## Happy Birthday

September      8 Linda Judson  
                     9 George Menard  
                     12 Mary Cremer  
                     18 Anna Mae Sattler  
                     19 Susan Reider  
                     22 Mike Bureau  
                     26 Steve Reece  
                     27 Gordon Oliver  
                     27 Diana Oliver  
                     28 Daniel Judson

October           1 Fred Lange  
                     2 Jim Burkett  
                     4 Justin Santchi  
                     6 Jim Hussey  
                     7 Betsy Barone  
                     8 Ben Schlatter  
                     11 Kurt Grosskopf  
                     11 Dave Hyder  
                     13 Ruth Dicke  
                     17 LueAnn Abair  
                     17 Sue Ritter  
                     19 Barbara Santchi  
                     21 Keith Aschemeier  
                     21 Kelly Carter  
                     22 Steve Wise  
                     24 Jason Pennese  
                     26 Barbara Coon  
                     27 Stacy Geissler

## Happy Anniversary

September      1 Chris & Debbie Shuff  
                     2 Dave & Phyllis Hyder  
                     6 Robert & Deborah Quigley  
                     6 Mark & Laura Sniadanko  
                     7 Skip & Kelly Carter  
                     11 Bob & Mary Turain  
                     23 Mike & Mary Bureau  
                     25 Keith & Jennifer Robeson  
                     26 Peter & Pat Jacobsen  
                     28 Jim & Susan Burkett

October           6 Craig & Sarah Volt  
                     7 Dave & Ruth Dicke  
                     8 Mike & Joanne Roehrs  
                     10 Ron & Becky Visser  
                     17 Paul & Ellie McMannus  
                     18 Bill & Bonnie Kudner  
                     21 Jason & Gustina Pennese  
                     22 Jeremy & Melissa Ballert  
                     23 Jerry & LueAnn Abair  
                     24 Matt & Lea Skotynsky  
                     31 Dick & Doris Currie

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### **Perrysburg Boat Club**

#### **Board Members**

Commodore - Steve Wise  
Vice Commodore - Dave Dicke  
Rear Commodore - Rob Brunner  
Immediate Past Commodore - Jerry Abair  
Secretary Treasurer - Pat Slee  
Recording Secretary - Rachael Wesley  
Board Member - Wayne Eilers  
Board Member - Josh Seney  
Board Member - Eric Eynon